UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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M.D.C. HOLDINGS, INC.,

Plaintiff,

Civil Action No. -V-

THE RESERVE FUNDS, RESERVE PRIMARY FUND, RESERVE U.S. GOVERNMENT FUND, RESERVE MANAGEMENT COMPANY, INC., RESERVE MANAGEMENT CORPORATION,: and RESRV PARTNERS INC.,

NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL

08-cv-8141 (PGG/KNF)

Defendants.

NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL PURSUANT TO F.R.C.P. 41(a)(1)(A)(i)

Pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Rule 41(a)(1)(A)(i), Plaintiff M.D.C. Holdings, Inc. hereby gives notice that the above-captioned action is voluntarily dismissed without prejudice against Defendants The Reserve Funds, Reserve Primary Fund, Reserve U.S. Government Fund, Reserve Management Company, Inc., Reserve Management Corporation, and Resrv Partners Inc.

Dated: November 5, 2009

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STATE OF NEW YORK)
SS.:
COUNTY OF NEW YORK)

GEORGE W. SIKES, being duly sworn, deposes and says: I am over 18 years of age, am not a party to this action, and am employed by the law firm of Dewey & LeBoeuf LLP.

On the 5th day of November, 2009, I caused to be served a true and correct copy of the NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL by hand upon the attorneys listed below at their address designated for service of papers as follows:

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Attorneys for The Reserve Primary Fund, Reserve US Government Fund, and The Reserve Fund.

GEORGE W. SIKES. Lic. No. 1279828

Sworn to before me this 5th day of November, 2009

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